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IN A OFDM COMMUNICATION SYSTEM

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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

Pursuant to Applicants' continuing duty of disclosure, it is respectfully requested that the references listed in the attached form PTO-1449 be considered by the Examiner and made of record in the above-identified application. A copy of each reference is attached hereto.

The citation of the listed items is not a representation that they constitute a complete or exhaustive listing of the relevant art or that the references are prior art. The items listed are submitted in good faith, but are not intended to substitute for the Examiner's search. It is hoped, however, that in addition to apprising the Examiner of these particular items, they will assist in identifying fields of search and in making as full and complete a search as possible.

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The listed items were cited by the European Patent Office in a counterpart application, namely Appln. No. 03022220.2. A copy of the European Search Report dated March 11, 2004 is attached hereto.

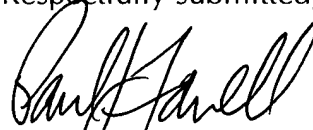
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The claims of the application as now presented are believed to patentably distinguish over the prior art and to be in condition for allowance. Early and favorable consideration of the case is respectfully requested.

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Applicants submit that each item of information contained in the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application no more than three months prior to the filing of the Statement.

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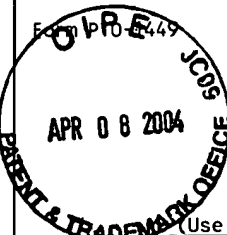
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U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
	6,192,026	2/20/2001	Pollack et al.			

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	TRANSLATION	
						YES	NO
	WO 99/08427	2/18/1999	PCT			X	
	WO 98/00946	1/8/1998	PCT			X	

OTHER PRIOR ART (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

		1.	European Search Report dated March 11, 2004 issued in a counterpart application, namely, Appln. No. 03022220.2.
		2.	Aiping Huang et al., "Estimating Channel Response from Pilot Subcarrier Pairs for OFDM Systems", 1997 IEEE, pp. 774-777.

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